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 Bernd Möller, et al.

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For: APPLICATION FOR TESTING ELECTRONIC
 EQUIPMENT DURING MANUFACTURING

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a two month extension of time to and including January 25, 2004 to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed September 25, 2003.

This petition is being filed in order to ensure copendency with application being filed concurrently herewith.

In the event that a further petition for an extension of time is required to be submitted at this time, applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for an extension of time for as many months as are required to ensure that the above-identified application does not become abandoned.

Our check in the amount of \$420.00 covering the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(a)(2) is enclosed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this

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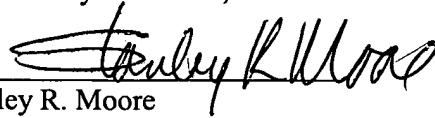
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application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 10-0447, under Order No. 53807-00043USP1.

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